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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	)	
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Kurtis Chad KELLEY et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 3748
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Application No.: 10/029,024	)	Examiner: Nguyen, Tu Minh
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Filed: December 28, 2001	)	
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For: SYSTEM FOR AGGLOMERATING	)	Confirmation No.: 3804
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**DECLARATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.131**

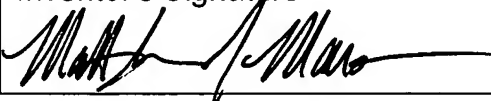
I, Kurtis Chad Kelley, state that I am one of the named applicants of the above-identified application and am one of the co-inventors of the subject matter described and claimed therein. Prior to December 6, 2001, Matthew Joseph Maroon and I had completed in this country the invention as described and claimed in the above-identified application as evidenced by the following:

1. I described the invention in an invention notification form (INF), which is a standard form used by my employer, prior to December 6, 2001.
2. I submitted the completed INF to the intellectual property department of my employer, and the INF was stamped as received by that department prior to December 6, 2001.

I declare further that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and

further, that the statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patents issuing thereon.

Respectfully submitted,

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Full Name of Second Inventor <b>Matthew Joseph Maroon</b>	Inventor's Signature 	Date <b>04/19/05</b>